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Preaching Sunday evening 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening
at 7:30 p. m.
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St. Augustines, Jackson 1st and 3rd
Sunday of the month service at 11 a.
m.
2nd and 4th Sunday of the month,
services at 8 p. m.
Trinity, Sutter Creek, 1st and 3rd
Sunday of the month, services at 7:30
p. m.
2nd and 4th Sunday of the month,
services at 11 a. m.
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"Generally debilitated for years.
Had sick headaches, lacked ambition,
was worn-out and all run-down. Bur-
dock Blood Bitters made me a well
woman."—Mrs Chas. Freitoy, Moosup,
Conn.

JACKSON CITY ITEMS

Local Happenings About Amador's County Seat

A very merry Christmas and a New
Year of continued happiness in the
sincerest wishes of the Amador Ledger,
for its many enthusiastic patrons.

George Goss is up from Sacramento,
and will remain with his parents until
after the holidays.

The home cooking sale usually held
in the office of George W. Brown, will
not be held Saturday afternoon of
this week.

J. F. Wilson, Dentist. Hours 9 a.
m. to 5 p. m. Phone—Office, Main
75; residence, black 394; Jackson.

Miss Dorothy Sargent is home from
the Lodi high school to spend the
Christmas vacation with her parents.

Mr and Mrs E. Crowgey have gone
to San Francisco to spend the holiday
season with relatives.

Mrs Arata of Sacramento is on a
visit to her parents, Mr and Mrs M.
M. Matson.

Give your former Jackson friend a
year's subscription to the Ledger. to
will make a fine Christmas present.

Miss Grace Sutherland, who had
been visiting in San Francisco for the
past week, has returned to her home
in Jackson.

E. C. Baker, a former Amadoran,
returned to Jackson for a brief visit
among relatives and friends. Mr
Baker at present, resides at the capital
city.

Web Smith, superintendent of the
Kennedy mine, is spending several
days in San Francisco attending the
regular meeting of the board of directors
of that company.

Word was received in Jackson stating
that the condition of Dr. Blake
Franklin is greatly improved. The
operation required on his throat has
been postponed, but the doctor says
he will be back in his field no later
than the first of the year.

The skating rink, managed by
Joseph Ratto, will hold four sessions
per week only in the future, namely,
Wednesday and Saturday evenings,
and on Sunday afternoon and evening.

Laid to His Rest

The grim reaper stopped at the
home of Peter Becher No. 26 Center
street, on Monday night, and robbed
little dark eyed Victor of his Santa
Claus. The little fellow, who has
just past his third year, appeared to
realize that something unusual had
happened in their home, and traces
of sadness were distinctly visible on
his countenance.

The father for the past several
years has been employed at the
Argonaut mine, and up until
about two weeks ago, when he was
taken ill, was working for that
company. He leaves besides his child,
a wife to mourn his loss. Death
was due to an attack of pneumonia.

The funeral of the deceased was
held on Wednesday last, services
being conducted in St. Patrick's church,
and interment made in the Catholic
cemetery of this city. The deceased
was a native of Austria.

Injured by Fall

Wm. Thompson, a teamster em-
ployed by Dufrene, met with a painful
accident on Wednesday evening.
While he was walking on Broadway,
he suddenly slipped, and while in the
act of falling, threw out both arms to
save himself. The fall, however, was
heavy enough to throw his left arm
out of joint at the shoulder. He was
assisted down town, and Dr. Endicott
was summoned, and reset the dislocation.

Dinner As Bait

George Barker, a former resident of
Jackson, came up from Alameda this
week, where he is engaged as a contractor
and builder, on his annual
Christmas visit to his mother, Mrs G.
Barker, who resides on Peek's hill.
A special Christmas dinner is annually
prepared by the mother as an inducement
to have her children back to her
fireside at yuletide.

Operation Successful

Wednesday afternoon, Drs. Good-
man and Lynch of Sutter Creek per-
formed an operation upon R. Rugne,
proprietor of the boarding house here.
A large tumor was removed from the
right side. Rugne suffered much pain
previous to the operation, as the tumor
pressed against the lung. More than
three quarts of water, were drawn
from the tumor. Since the operation,
the patient has rallied encouragingly,
and strong hopes are entertained for a
complete recovery.

FELL DOWN MINE SHAFT

Miner Escapes Horrible Death by Landing On a Platform

Misfortune has for some reason,
hovered about the South Eureka mine
for the past two months in which
time no less than four miners met
untimely and horrible deaths, and
numerous serious accidents occurred.

The latest accident occurred on
Tuesday morning last, about 9
o'clock, when Vule Marich, a native
of Austria, plunged down the shaft
of that mine. The unfortunate miner
was twenty-four years of age and
extremely well liked by his fellow
workers because of his genial and
affable nature. He had but recently
quit the Kennedy mine, where his
brother is at present employed, and
obtained work at the South Eureka.
While in Jackson he boarded at the
Milovich boarding house on Broadway.

To this place word was immediately
telephoned after the accident occurred,
in hopes of being able to get into
immediate communication with the
victim's brother, whose name is Elia
Marich Elia, was on the day shift,
and was employed in a lower level
in the Kennedy mine, but as soon as
word of the accident was given him he
immediately went over to Sutter Creek
as he was requested to do.

Several other native countrymen
hastened to the scene of the accident
from Jackson.

The victim of the accident was
working in the shaft, replacing tim-
bers, when he suddenly slipped and
disappeared down the shaft. He fell
about 120 feet onto a platform used by
a gang of men who were engaged at
the same work on the level below. The
miner apparently slid down over the
sills on his back and right side, as that
portion of his body is badly cut and
bruised. The right arm is also broken,
but no other injuries are reported.
Dr. Goodman, who is attending the
patient says that he does not think
there are any serious internal injuries,
as were at first reported to exist, and
that his patient will have a speedy recovery.

When Marich was brought to the sur-
face, he recognized his friends who
had gathered about him, and told
them he was dying. Dr. Goodman,
after dressing a few of the most
serious lacerations, sounded the patient
for internal injuries and then assured
him that he would pull through finally,
if no unforeseen complications arose.

Special Services

Services will be conducted in the
Methodist Episcopal church by the
Rev. J. O. Duncan as follows:

In the morning, at 11 o'clock, the
sermon subject, "This Mother of
Jesus," and in the evening at 7:30
the services will be held at the Odd
Fellows banquet hall. The sermon
subject will be "Jesus."

Special music at each of these ser-
vices. All the people are invited to
attend.

From Snow to Sunshine

Mrs E. P. Nelson, mother of Mrs
W. S. Thomas of Jackson, arrived in
this city yesterday morning from
Chicago. She informs us that snow
shovels are busily engaged in many of
the eastern cities, and that several
severe snow storms were encountered
on the trip west.

LOST.—On Monday, between Jack-
son and the Drendel ranch, a lady's
gold watch, with diamond set on out-
side, also initials "J. D." engraved
on outside of case. Finder will be re-
warded on leaving the same at Ledger
office.

SAMPO MURDER TRIAL FINISHED

Jury Renders Verdict of Second Degree Murder

On Friday last George Callandra
testified that he saw the three men in
a struggle in the street opposite his
residence, and went out to them. De-
fendant and Conti were attacking Pis-
toni. Defendant struck deceased with
the rock after he got to them. D.
Burdisso was also another eye-witness
of the affray. Hesaw defendant strike
deceased with the rock, and took the
rock from him, and dropped it in the
roadway. He then accompanied Pis-
toni to his room at Cavallero's and
put him to bed. He did not think at
the time that he was so badly hurt.

Drs. Endicott and Griffin, conducted
the autopsy on the body of deceased
the day after the affair, testified that
all the vital organs were in a healthy
condition, except the brain. A frac-
ture of the skull was found back of
the right ear; the scalp was cut, and
on the inside of the skull opposite the
fracture found a large blood clot, al-
most as large as a baseball; the injury
was inflicted by some blunt instrument
and could have been inflicted by the
rock produced. Death was caused by
cerebral hemorrhage from a ruptured
bloodvessel caused by the blow that
fractured the skull. The injury would
have resulted fatally even though pro-
fessional aid had been called promptly.

Dan Bona, deputy constable, said
that he arrested defendant at his
home in Amador City on the 20th of
November, at six o'clock in the morn-
ing. Said to him, "Jack, you fellows
had a fight out in the road," and he
replied, "I think we did." Saw de-
fendant and his brother and Conti out-
side Cavallero's on the 19th between
11 and 12 o'clock; they did not say
they were looking for him, to have
those in the house arrested; Pistoni
was not with them; saw him after-
wards in bed, and Burdesso and J.
Zarzotti were in the room, apparently
attending to him.

This closed the case for the prosecu-
tion.

Ernest Spagnoli, in his opening
statement said they expected to
prove an alibi, that the defendant
was at some other place at the time
the crime is said to have been com-
mitted. If they should not be able to
establish this to the complete satis-
faction of the jury, he hoped they
would consider it, and give it such
weight as to raise a reasonable doubt in
their minds, and give the defendant
the benefit of the doubt by a verdict of
acquittal.

Louie and Tom Ferrari were called.
They were present in the Cavallero
house at the time the trouble started
and played an Italian game calle mora
with fingers preceding the trouble.

George Sampo, brother of defend-
ant, and also under arrest, was next
called. He claimed that he was in the
house all the time the alleged homicide
is said have taken place, and that de-
fendant and Conti were there also, but
admitted on cross-examination that
defendant and Conti went out about
fifteen minutes before ten and re-
mained out for about twenty minutes.

His account of the starting of the
trouble was that Eva Cavallero had
promised to dance next with him; that
when he saw her dancing with Pistoni
when as he claimed it was his turn, he
asked her how that was. Pistoni said,
"What is the use of dancing with you,
you can't dance." This riled up Sam-
po, and a general scrimmage ensued.

He said he was in the house of
Cavallero from the time the dancing
commenced until he went out with de-
fendant to see for the constable, ex-
cept the time the crowd were fighting
in the back yard; that he was not on
the road between Cavallero's and
Gazzero's saloon until he started to
look for George Sampo to go home;
that they went home by way of New
Chicago.

Mrs Sampo, wife of defendant, was
examined, and stated that she was
present when her husband was ar-
rested. No conversation occurred be-
tween the two at the time. Her hus-
band came home on the night of the
19th about twelve or half past.

Stefani Conti, the co-defendant, tes-
tified that he came to the county in
September last, from Oakland, and
had been in the country two years.
Had worked in cement at the Bunker
Hill mill.

Giacomo Sampo, the defendant, was
the last witness for defense, and gave
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Amador Mines Power and Water Company

A meeting of the newly formed Am-
ador Mines Power and Water company
was held last Friday at the office of
the company in the Webb building.
Ed. Records, the promoter and prin-
cipal stockholder, was present, with
all other shareholders. By-laws were
adopted and other business transacted.
The board of directors afterward met
and elected the following officers for
the ensuing year: President, Dr E. E.
Endicott; secretary, Geo. W. Brown;
treasurer, R. Webb.

A surveyor and civil engineer in the
employ of the Pacific Gas and Electric
Corporation visited the reservoir site
at Grass valley creek last week, and
made a thorough investigation to de-
termine altitude and other points, to
report to the big corporation.

At St. Patrick's Church

St. Patrick's Catholic church will
celebrate Christmas day with appro-
priate ceremonies. Father Gleason
will hold the first mass at 8 a. m. The
second mass, a missa cantata, will be
rendered at 10 a. m. An augmented
choir will render special Christmas
music.

Elaborate decorations are being ar-
ranged for the interior of the building.
The choir is composed of the follow-
ing voices who have been rehearsing
their music for the past week:

Sopranos, Mrs Hoagg, Mrs Rose
Podesta, Miss Amelia Piccardo, Mrs
E. V. Zumbiel; altos, Mrs Eta
Eudey, Mrs L. J. Fontenrose; bass,
Edward Kay; Mrs B. H. Schacht,
will act as organist.

The music to be rendered is Kyrie
Gloria, Credo, Sanctus, by A. H.
Rosewig, mass opus 350. Benedictus
Opus, Dei, Dona Novis, St. Anthony,
Padurs Mass by Lewis Berge, Asper-
ges Me, by A. Werner, Affretory
praise, by Miss Albina Paramino,
Adeste Fideles will be the concluding
selection rendered by the organist.

M. E. Sunday School Program

A Christmas program will be ren-
dered by the Sunday school scholars of
the Methodist church to-morrow night,
in the Odd Fellows building. Follow-
ing is the program:

Opening song, 16 girls; recitation,
William Thomas; violin solo, James
Harvey; Christmas song, four boys;
recitation, William Blackwell; dia-
logue, Santa Claus, 10 boys and girls;
recitation, Vivian White; recitation,
Elwood Flitcratt; song by Ruth and
Gertrude Harrington; recitation, Tom
Jones; solo, by chorus of five girls;
recitation, Miss Ilene Fleming; recita-
tion, Ralph Taylor; a song will be
rendered by the combined classes of
Mrs Bastian and Mrs Libby; recita-
tion, Howard Greenhalgh; dialogue,
entitled "Little Snow Shovels," by
three pupils; solo, Stanley Boudry;
recitation, Mrs James; recitation,
Miss Guerard; dialogue, six little girls;
recitation, Amy Moyle. The pastor,
Rev. J. O. Duncan will make a few
remarks at the close of the program.

Christmas Dinner

A special Christmas dinner and
supper will be served at the boarding
house managed by R. Rugne, No. 64
Main street this city, on Christmas
day. Turkey and chicken with side
dishes, will be served from 11:30 a. m.
to 2 p. m., and from 5:30 p. m. until
7:00 p. m., at the small price of 35
cents per order.

Horse and Rider Badly Injured

A young Austrian named George
Oreno engaged a saddle horse at the
Union livery stable Wednesday after-
noon. When the animal was returned
that night, it was in a pitiable con-
dition. The horse had a laceration in its
breast more than five inches, which it
is said to have received by collision
with another vehicle while the rider
was running a race. As a result of
the collision, the rider was thrown
about twenty feet, sustaining serious
injuries which have confined him to
his bed.

Leon Schwartz, a student from St.
Mary's college at Oakland, came up
from that place in the early part of
the week to spend the holidays with
relatives.

MINE NEWS ALONG LODGE

Interesting Accounts of Mines Located In Amador Co.

Amador Queen

Reports are current that the Ama-
dor Queen No. 1, located near the
Hardenberg, in Hunts Gulch will com-
mence operations about the first of the
year. This mine was bonded recently
by Wm. J. McGee to C. D. Porter of
San Francisco. The present owner is
now in San Francisco ordering machin-
ery and other material, which will be
shipped immediately to the scene of
operations. The mine has a well pre-
served shaft, nearly 1200 feet deep.
This will be cleared of water, and drift-
ing pushed east and west.

Lincoln

Progress is being made at the Lin-
coln Mine, although many difficult
problems have been encountered in
clearing the shaft of quartz rock and
other debris, supposed have fallen from
above. The shaft was choked about
85 feet with this debris. The timbers
of the shaft are in fine preservation.

Plans are already formed for cross-
cutting, as soon as the shaft has been
cleared to the 500 level. Several sets
of power drills have been ordered and
will be on the ground by that time.

Word has reached Jackson that the
400 foot level had been reach early
morning.

Argonaut

Preparations are being made to put
the Argonaut mine in the very best
condition, to handle the large oar
bodies which have been explored, and
since the capacity of the engine, as
operated by water power has been
reached, a new and powerful electric
hoist has been designed and ordered.

The new hoist will have a capacity of
500 horse power, and will be capable
of hoisting a larger bucket from a
much greater depth than any electric
power hoist yet installed on an inclined
shaft.

Bunker Hill.

The regular monthly dividend of five
cents per share was paid to the stock-
holders on the 15th. No meeting of the
directors was held, otherwise it is prob-
able an extra Christmas dividend
would have been declared. It is now
thought that the additional twenty
stamps to the mill will not be ready to
drop before the middle of February.

Coffman Discharged On Habeas Corpus

The habeas corpus cases of J. M.
Coffman was argued by Judge A. L.
Frick for the petitioner on Tuesday.
Coffman was charged with assault,
with a deadly weapon upon M
Lopez, at Amador City. It was con-
tended by the prosecution that he
was involved criminally in the De-
lucchi-Lopez fight, which resulted last
week in the conviction of Delucchi
for assault with a deadly weapon.
Coffman is proprietor of the hotel at
which Delucchi was boarding, and when
Delucchi was beaten up by Lopez, and
went into the hotel, Coffman handed
him the pistol to defend himself
against further attack. Judge Frick
cited over twenty supreme court
authorities to support the petition for
discharge on the ground of illegal im-
prisonment. The people cited no
authorities. On Thursday the court
ordered the prisoner discharged. We
will publish the decision in full next
week.

Notice to Stock Owners

Dr. C. Golding, the well-known
veterinary surgeon, who has been in
San Francisco for some time, informs
us that he will be in Jackson from the
24th of December to the 1st of Janu-
ary, for the practice of his profession.
Stockowners throughout the county
wishing to see him on business will
please call on or write to him at Jack-
son, and their business will receive
his prompt attention. He will be
here for one week only.

Seriously Ill

L. F. Stinson, proprietor of the
Record, is confined to his bed with a
serious illness. It is reported that
he will have to submit to a critical
operation. A printer from the Dis-
patch, named Crockett, is in charge
of the paper during the proprietor's
sickness.

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COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL SITUATION.

The controversy over the location of the county high school ought to be settled by compromise. To press the issue to a vote between Sutter Creek and Jackson would be a disastrous move, as whichever way the electors might decide, the result would be two high schools—one in Jackson and the other in Sutter Creek. This would be deplorable, not only because of the feeling that would be created between the two towns primarily concerned, but also for the reason that it would entail a much heavier tax upon all property holders in the county outside of the present Ione union high school district. That those living at a distance from either town should be subjected to an increased tax on account of a contention between two towns for the honor of securing the county high school location, is the most deplorable feature of the whole business. If there is any way to avoid this by mutual concession, it seems to us that that is the proper path to pursue. It must be patent to any impartial mind that a county high school within the town limits of Sutter Creek would be of no benefit to Jackson. The four miles between the two towns would be just as much an obstacle as the fourteen miles to the high school at Ione now is. On the other hand a school in Jackson would not relieve the situation for Sutter Creek and other towns to the north. To insist upon either of these sites is not wise. Better have one well-appointed county high school, by concessions from both sides, than have two poorly maintained schools as the outcome of jealous rivalry between the two towns.

Why not compromise by agreeing to locate the school at or near Martell. This involves a half-way concession by each side. But it obviates the expense of a special election, and also insures one good school instead of two poor ones. It will commend itself to the taxpayers as the economical course, involving the lesser burden, and that is the most potent consideration with many. It is not in order for either side to be stiff-necked on this proposition. The get-together spirit is the one thing needful just now, and will be welcomed as the proper solution of the problem, no matter which side takes the initiative with the olive branch.

The midway location will stir opposition from both sides, and on various grounds. It is neither one thing nor the other some will say ; a few Jacksonites will say they would rather have the school located in Sutter Creek than any half-way site, and some Sutterites may express the sentiment in favor of Jackson. But this spirit will hardly be favored by the bulk of the taxpayers who will be called upon to foot the bills. And a journey of two extra miles for all the prospective high school students is decidedly preferable to a trip of four miles for one half of the school population. The Ledger would like to see the county high school in Jackson, not only because it is loyal to its own town, but also because Jackson is the populous center that will undoubtedly furnish the greater number of high school attendants. But we cannot shut our eyes to the well-founded objections to this plan, any more than we can be blind to the arguments from the county seat standpoint against location in Sutter Creek. The difficulties of the situation are not yet adequately appreciated. They will doubtless loom up more prominently as time wears on. There can be no funds available for starting the school until the next tax levy is made, even if a temporary location were selected. It is just as well to make haste slowly in this matter. Ample time should be given to weigh all the pros and cons of the matter before any decisive action is taken.

There is a disposition in some quarters to ignore the advisory vote cast at the last election in favor of A. G. Spaulding for United Statee senator to succeed Frank Flint. Spaulding was not our choice for that position, nevertheless we believe he fairly won the indorsement of his party, and is entitled to the support of the republican legislators just as much as though he received the caucus nomination of his party under the old method. It would be gross breach of faith to turn him down, and likewise a slap at the popular idea of electing United States senators by direct vote. It may be true that a man more capable of representing the state of California in the senate of the United States might be found, but the voters have spoken and that should settle it.

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY

Reported weekly for the Ledger

Colors Other Creatures See—Electric

Spark Disinfection—Ship-Steadying
Tanks—Another Guess at Mars—An
Irrigating Tree—Star Measurement—
Building-Stone Disease—Improving
Our Lighting—Solar Heat Utilized.

It has been slowly brought to our understanding that the world is not the same to all creatures, and probably no experiments have tended more to make this clear than the recent ones by Prof. Karl Hesz, of Wuerysburg, on the color-sense of chickens, pigeons, owls and kestrels. Men with hungry chickens and pigeons were first kept an hour in a bright room to become accustomed to the light. The floor was then spread with a smooth black cloth evenly covered with grains of wheat, a strong spectrum was thrown on it from the ceiling, and the hungry animals were turned loose. They picked the wheat first from the bright red, the the ultra red, next the yellow, and finally the green. They touched nothing in the blue and violet because they saw nothing, but on the other hand, they saw the grains in the ultra-red that were invisible to the men. This proved that for chickens and pigeons the spectrum is shortened at the violet end of the short wave-length and extended at the red end of long-wave length. This is the effect one might expect from wearing orange colored glasses, and Hesz demonstrated that fowls see through such spectacles in the form of yellow and orange oil globules imbedded in the light-sensitive iris. To kestrels and buzzards the brightest zone was the green instead of red, the blue being visible. To fowls the colors were as men see them.

The telephone disinfecter of B. F. Gardner of Chicago is an arrangement for producing electric sparks in the mouthpiece. Wires projecting through the walls of the mouthpiece are connected with a secondary coil wound on the ringer frame, and this causes sparks when the alternate ringing current is sent out on the line to ring the bell.

The "rolling tanks" of Frahm, the Hamburg engineer, have reduced the roll of vessels from 11 degrees on each beam to two degrees. U-shaped tanks extend from port to starboard through the hold, and the rise and fall of the water in them neutralizes rhythmical movement as the ship rolls.

In a novel theory of Mars, Prof. Svante Arrhenius rejects Prof. Lowell's view that the changing dark spots and bands are due to vegetation, and accepts the old suggestion that the so-called canals are long, deep fissures. Similar formations exist on the earth, one extending a distance of 2,200 miles along the coasts of Peru and Chile. Water is supposed to collect in the fissures or canals, and to accumulate especially at the points where several meet, these "lakes" of Sciaparelli or "oases" of Lowell being explained as places where the planet's crust has sunk though very salt. The water is frozen by the intense cold. The ice evaporates in the dry air, the vapor collects as snow at the winter pole, and the canals become beds of dry salts, until, with the melting of the snow in spring and summer, the air ceases to be dry, and the salts again attract moisture, turning to a darker hue. Among objections offered to the new theory is that it does not satisfactorily account for the complete winter disappearance of the canals, which, if really fissures, should remain visible throughout the year.

Plantations of the rain tree of Peru, the tamaricaps, are claimed to offer great possibilities as irrigation works. The tree grows readily in any soil, reaching large size, and has a luxuriant foliage, with a remarkable power of collecting and condensing atmospheric moisture. Its capacity, moreover, is increased by the unusual heat of a drought. The water falls from the leaves and oozes from the trunk, and forms veritable rivers, which can be led as irrigating canals to any point desired. A single tree is estimated to average 9 gallons of rain a day. Making liberal allowance for evaporation and infiltration, a square mile grove of the trees would supply for distribution about 100,000 gallons of water daily.

Up to the present time somewhat successful attempts have been made to measure the distances of about 360 fixed stars, but many of the determinations are of doubtful accuracy. No nearer star has been found than Alpha Centauri of the southern hemisphere, the third bright star in the heavens, with a parallax of three-quarters of a second of arc. Its distance is about 26 millions of millions of miles, and light from it takes 4¼ years to reach us.

The crumbling of building stones is another form of decay that we are to attribute to the action of microscopic

organisms. At a recent Museum Conference at York, Eng, Dr. T. Anderson showed that stone-decay is not due to wind action, and expressed the belief that it is not surface action at all, but a kind of rot produced by some low form of life like the moulds and fungi that rot wood, canvas and other vegetable materials. Treatment based on abrasion or chemical theories having failed, he sought a cure of the stones by the use of various germicides. The result has been as anticipated, and in the two-years since the experiments began the stones that have best resisted decay have been those that have been treated with sulphate of copper, bichloride of mercury and cresote. For a test of this kind, however, the time is too short to justify any definite conclusion.

The agitation in favor of "concealed lighting" seems to be rapidly gaining strength because it represents both light-saving and eye-saving. The glare of powerful lamps in plain, but makes it necessary to flood the air around with a brilliant light. With the source hidden, the eyes require much less. The artificial illumination of the British Museum has been found to be only seven one-thousandths of daylight, that of the woolsack in the House of Lords only six one-thousandths, and that of the clerk's desk in the House of Commons only one twelve-thousandth, yet these places are sufficiently lighted.

Sun heat has proven effective in chemical experiments, which required no highly refractory supporting vessel. Using a 16-inch plano-convex lens of 20 inches focus, and placing the substance to be heated in a magnesia crucible contained in a glass vessel from which the air had been exhausted, A. Stock and H. Heynemann melted pieces of copper and cast iron almost instantly and crystallized silicon—with a melting point of 1450 deg. C.—in a few seconds. The temperature was found to be several hundred degrees greater in a vacuum than in the same glass vessel from which the air had not been exhausted.

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Several years ago Mrs Angove sent east for a small lemon tree, which she planted as soon as she received the same through the express. The tree grew to such proportions that it became cumbersome, and she gave it to a relative, Orrie Jones, who is managing the Mocking Bird ranch, near the Mountain Spring house, on the Ione road. Mr Jones gave the tree special care, and this season secured 40 fire specimens of fruit from his prized lemon tree.

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Fixing Bridge

City marshal, Frank Sanguinetti, has a force of men at work repairing the bridge at Main and Sutter street, north Jackson, the old planks forming the bridge bed, were badly decayed, and several openings in the rotted planks made it dangerous for horses to pass over.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—02054

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Sacramento, California, November 21, 1910.


Notice is hereby given that DAVID RHODES, of Defender, California, who, on March 3, 1905, made H. E. No 7796, for W½ of SW¼ Section 1, and SE¼ of SE¼, Section 2, Township 7 N., Range 13 E., Mount Diablo Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the U. S. Commissioner for Amador County, at his office in Jackson, California, on the 4th day of January, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses: Samuel Lessley and J. H. Campbell, of Volcano, Calif., Fayette Mace and F. B. Joyce, of Defender, Calif.

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AMADOR

Miss Ethel Hartwick came home to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives.

Miss Idele Whitehead came home Saturday to spend the Christmas season with relatives.

A program will be given at the public school Friday, December 23. Teachers and children are working hard for the occasion.

Miss Ellen Marchand came home to spend Christmas, after attending school in the city.

A Christmas tree will be given in the M. E. church for the Sunday school and Epworth league. The tree is decorated elaborately and the children are looking forward to a delightful time.

Edgar Hoskins will pay his parents a visit during the holidays.

Miss Blanche Martin will return home Friday night, to spend Christmas with relatives.

The Ladies Aid Society were well pleased at the outcome of the bazaar. Mrs Reeves left for San Francisco, where she will spend the holidays.

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Land Office Decision

The case of the United States against Edward Heath was tried in the Sacramento land office last week, and a decision rendered in favor of the government. It was a case contesting the validity of a homestead filing on land in the vicinity of Clinton in this county, on the ground of non-compliance with the law as regards residence and cultivation.

Foot Crushed.

A press dispatch from Grass Valley, dated the 19th instant, says:

Caleb Chinn, a miner employed at the Central mine, met with a painful accident this morning just after he had gone to work. In some manner his foot was caught and crushed by a heavy timber, and he suffered excruciating pains and was taken to his home. Dr Brown found that the ligaments were torn and that the foot had been mashed out of shape. It will be some time before the injured man will have the use of his foot.

The victim of this mishap is well known in Jackson, he having worked in the mines of this section for several years. His many friends will be pained to hear of the serious misfortune that has befallen him.

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02068.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at Sacramento, California, December 12, 1910.
Notice is hereby given that JOHN A. CANVIN, of Volcano, California, who on May 22, 1905, made H. E., No. 7818, for SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 13, Township 7 N., Range 12 E., Mount Diablo Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before U. S. Commissioner for Amador County, at his office in Jackson, California, on the 21st day of January, 1911.
Claimant names as witnesses:
D. Grillo, W. D. Smith, James Hanley, and John Baroni, all of Volcano, California.
Not coal land.
JOHN F. ARMSTRONG,
Register.

DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since our last report. We publish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so

Deeds.—American River Elec Co to Western States G & E Co—All rights of way, lands, franchises, etc, in California, \$10.

Francis Stephens to Lucy Stephens, 31.5 acres in Arroyo Seco Rancho, love and affection.

Clemence La Rue to Malvina Blanchetti et al—NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and N $\frac{1}{2}$ of N $\frac{1}{2}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of 29-5-10; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and S $\frac{1}{2}$ of N $\frac{1}{2}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and N $\frac{1}{2}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and N $\frac{1}{2}$ of S $\frac{1}{2}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of 29-5-10, love and affection.

George Arnerich to George Glavich—East Pacific Q C., Plymouth, \$1.

George Slavich to Marguerite Davis—Lot in Plymouth and one-third of E Pacific Q C., \$10.

Proofs of Labor—John Ross et al on Alpine mining claim.

Cal Con Mines on E Keystone M C. Jacob Newman et al on Newman & Bagley placer.

Garden City Pottery on Hammer placer.

Mrs A Boomershire on Boomershire Q M.

A F Mazzino on Vesivius Q M.

R E Willett on Mayflower Q C.

Parker Mining Co on Parker Q C and Lucy Q C.

W F Deaner on Last Chance mine.

F M Clark on Clark Placer.

F B Joyce on Pick & Drill mine.

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F B Joyce on North Defender mine.

Amador G M & M Co on Tom and Dick mines.

Can of Mortgages—V Norton to C Smith et ux—Z-258.

Jas Chichizola to Luigi Cuneo -3-210.

L Cassinelli et al to F Denend—X-618.

Location Notices—M P Thomas on Santa Maria Q M., Jackson district.

Thos Boyson on Bona Esperanza mill site.

Sheriff's Certificate of Sale.—Chichizola Est Co vs Cal Cons Mines—Cert of Sale to Chic Est Co—Property of said company in Sutter Creek, \$8,910.00.

D J Camble et al vs Cal Cons Mines—Cert of sale to Wm G Snyder, Keystone mine property, \$14,450.00.

Notary Bond—Emma Parrow with Geo W Brown and F W Ruhser as sureties.

Certificate of Redemption—J F Donovan on lot 15, block 6, Sutter Creek, taxes of 1903 to 1909.

Decree of Distribution—Estate of Stella Germolis to Lucy Germolis et al, cash and personal property, and one-half interest in 360 acres in sections 0 and 15-7-11.

Bill of Sale—R E Willett to C C Ekenberg, all interest in Mayflower Q M, \$10.

Agreement—Jas Toman et al to Central Eureka M Co, right of way for pipe line across Tanner ranch.

Abstract of Judgment—G Giovannoni et al vs A Canonica, judgment in justice court No. 1 township, for \$304.99.

W M Hall vs Cal Cons Mines Co, judgment in superior court of S F for \$1398.30 and costs.

The peculiar properties of Chamberlain's cough remedy have been thoroughly tested during epidemics of influenza, and when it was taken in time we have not heard of a single case of pneumonia. Sold by all dealers.

Caminetti Under Knife

Dr. E. E. Endicott operated on A. B. Caminetti last Sunday at his home in Ione. Caminetti has been suffering from strangulated hernia, and was in a critical condition. The operation was deemed necessary as the only means of saving the life of the victim. After the operation the patient rallied, and a complete recovery is expected.

Bole Resumes Work

Attorney R. C. Bole has recovered from his severe attack of illness, and is again attending to his law business. He is somewhat reduced in flesh as the outcome of his sickness, but is fast regaining his normal health.

Welcomed Home

Each night for the past week, as the stage from Martell has reined up at the Globe and National hotels, many affecting scenes have been witnessed. Fathers and mothers, sisters and brothers, returning to spend the Yuletide at home, are greeted with that warm welcome and embrace, which being interpreted means "I'm so glad to see you."

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Teachers' Institute.

The teachers of Amador county will leave Monday next for Berkeley, where they will hold their county institute in connection with the California teachers' association annual meeting. Four other counties will hold their institutes in like manner. An erroneous impression has been circulated that the meeting of our county institute at Berkeley involves heavier expense upon the taxpayers than if the institute were held at some point in Amador county. This is a mistake. From a financial standpoint it is considerably cheaper outside than inside the county. The instructors who come from the outside to lecture at county institutes are paid for their services, and also traveling expenses. The cost runs up to fully \$300. This is saved by going to Berkeley this year. There appears no solid ground for objecting to going outside once every few years, and thereby coming in contact with educators from different parts of the state, and getting an exchange of ideas on methods of instruction.

All schools of the county will be closed next week, not only because of the Christmas holidays, but also on account of the teachers' institute.

The Raising of Rice.

The cultivation of rice extends back into the dim past, and there are no authentic records as to when it first began. Evidence points, however, to the Chinese having been among the earliest people to cultivate it, and such great value was attached to it that in the annual ceremonial sowing of important plants inaugurated by the Emperor Chinnong so far back in the past as 2809 B. C. the rice had to be sown only by the emperor himself, while the four other plants of the ceremony might be sown by the princes of his family. In India rice has been cultivated from time immemorial. It was introduced at an early period into Syria, Egypt and other parts of northern Africa. In more modern times rice has been sown in Spain, France and Italy, the first cultivation in the last named country being stated to have been near Pisa in 1468. The plant is believed to have been introduced into America in 1647, when Sir William Berkeley raised a crop of sixteen bushels from half a bushel of seed.

Taught Him a Lesson.

"Why don't you give your wife an allowance?"
"I tried that once, and she spent it before I could borrow it back."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

It belongs to great men to have great defects.—French Proverb.

The Kings of Denmark.

The dust of the Danish kings is kept in a great cathedral at Roskilde, an old town twenty miles from Copenhagen. Every year the entire royal family always pay a visit to Roskilde in obedience to an ancient custom. On one of the pillars are marks showing the height of Peter the Great, Nicholas the Iron Czar, Alexander III. of Russia, the king of England and many other kings. The cathedral was built in the eleventh century. It has two mighty towers, which can be seen at a long distance. The oldest grave is that of King Harold I., who died in 987.

His Mistake.

Irate Customer—See here! That student lamp you sold me a week ago is no good. It won't work.
Dealer—Beg pardon, sir. I ought to have told you it was a college student lamp.—Puck.

Envious.

"Just think of it!" said the student of immigration. "Many men who come to this country cannot write their own names."
"Yes," answered Mr. Pinchpenny, "and when I get down my check book on the first of the month I am inclined to envy them."—Washington Star.

Fixing the Break.

"They were both broken up by their separation."
"But I understand they've effected a reconciliation and are now re-paired."
—St. Louis Star.

There is no teacher like necessity; it has been the making of man; it wakes up his dormant faculties and stimulates to action his latent talents.

Made It Very Clear.

"How do you suppose she manages to keep up appearances on her husband's income?"
"What is her husband's income?"
"I don't know; but, of course, it can't be as big as it would have to be if they could afford to live as they do."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Teachers' Examination

Office of Superintendent of Schools
Of Amador county.
Jackson, Cal., Nov. 26, 1910.

To Whom it may Concern:
The Board of Education of Amador county will meet in the Superintendent's Office on Saturday, December 17th, to adopt questions for the Teacher's Examination, to commence December 19th, and continue until December 23d, 1910, inclusive.

December 24th the Board will grade papers, issue certificates, grant recommendations for State Documents and adopt Library Books

Respectfully,

W. H. GREENHALGH,
Superintendent of Schools

SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT

—OF—

Public Administrator of Amador County

ENDING JUNE 30th, 1910.

To the Hon. Fred V. Wood, Judge of the Superior Court of Amador county, California.
The undersigned, the Public Administrator of Amador county, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1736 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, hereby makes to the Superior Court of Amador county, under his oath, a return of all the estates of decedents which have come into his hands since said last return, the value of each estate, according to the inventory and appraisal thereof, the money which has come into his hands from every such estate, and what has been done with it, and the amount of his fees incurred in each estate, and the balance, if any, in each such estate remaining in his hands

H. E. POTTER,

Public Administrator of Amador county, State of California.

Names of Decedents	Appraised Value of Estate.	Cash Received.	Expense of Administration, Funeral Expenses, Money Distributed.	Balance On Hand	Administrator's Fees	
O. Zanzucchi.....	\$809.00	\$ 809.00	\$ 442.85	\$366.15	\$56.00	Unsettled
Ann E. Trelease.....	No appraisal	Nothing Received.	Nothing paid out	.....	.....	Unsettled
Frank Richardson.....	1747.60	1707.10	1707.10	.....	122.33	Settled
Jno. D. Baughman.....	60.00	60.00	60.00	.....	4.20	Settled
Sarah A. Serine.....	150.00	61.00	61.00	.....	8.00	Settled
A. M. Vaughan.....	100.00	700.00	700.00	.....	49.00	Settled
John Voss.....	No appraisal	55.40	31.00	24.40	.....	Unsettled

State of California, }
County of Amador, } ss
H. E. POTTER, the Public Administrator of Amador county, after being duly sworn, deposes and says:

I was during all the times mentioned in the foregoing statement the duly elected, qualified and acting Public Administrator of Amador county; I have read the foregoing return made on this day by me to the Superior Court of Amador county, and know the contents thereof, and say upon oath that the same is true to the best of my information and belief.

H. E. POTTER,
Public Administrator of Amador county.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of November, 1910.

JOHN BLOWER,

Notary Public in and for Amador County,
State of California.

SUPERIOR COURT.

HON. JUDGE F. V. WOOD

Estate of John Collier—Continued by request until December 24.

Estate of H E Morrow—No appearance of parties, and matter continued until December 24.

Estate of Toby Ferrasci—Decree made establishing notice to creditors.

Estate of Mary Walker—Order setting final account and decree of distribution granted.

People vs John Delucchi—Motion for new trial denied. Defendant sentenced to pay a fine of \$600, or imprisonment in the county jail at the rate of \$2 per day until said fine is paid. Defendant's counsel orally appealed from verdict of conviction, and sentence of court, and from the whole thereof, to the district court of appeals.

People vs J M Coffman—Defendant surrendered by bondsmen, and petition for writ of habeas corpus filed, writ issued, and heard on December 22.

Estate of Malvina Troyan et al—Return of sale of real estate by guardian filed. Lot 3 in block 13, Jackson, was sold to Mayme E. Troyan for \$360, and a lot near Stark's place was sold to Carrie Badaracco for \$180. December 24 set for hearing on confirmation of sale.

FOR SALE.—A very fine sable coat, worth \$500, will be sold at a great sacrifice. On exhibition in McGary's show window, on Main street, Jackson.

Will Stay In Jackson

R. W. Scott, printer in the Dispatch office, went to Sacramento last week to interview the manager of the state printing office for a steady job in that institution. He has been in the habit of working at each session of the legislature for three or four months, but decided that it was hardly worth going for unless something more permanent was held out. He returned Wednesday, and we understand has concluded not to go to Sacramento this session.

Special Small Ads.

Advertisements under this head, not exceeding 5 lines, will be inserted at 50c per month, 6c per line for less than one month

—For Sale or Rent—The Pine Grove hotel, a brick structure, with all modern conveniences, situated on the main road to the mountains, ten miles east of Jackson. One hundred and sixty acres of land with Hotel; forty acres under cultivation, also vineyard and orchard; a fine opportunity for the right man. Apply to Jackson Real Estate Office, Jackson.

The biggest clubbing offer ever made. Amador Ledger and Bulletin—the leading evening daily paper of San Francisco, only \$3 per year, in advance. Subscribe now.

FOR SALE.—Hotel and saloon business of Central hotel, Jackson, doing a good business. For particulars apply on the premises or address, P. Genolio, Central hotel, Jackson. P. O. box 206. jy15-1m

FOR SALE.—25,000 No. 1 shakes in first class condition. For sale at Ham's Station, by Henry Bradley. oc14.

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Christmas is made happy by your remembrance of others. Whether that remembrance is appropriate depends upon your ability to select. You will have no trouble to select a present when you look over our magnificent display of the latest novelties—necessities or gift goods.

May we make a suggestion as to those gifts most appreciated. It is a pleasure to show you our complete display whether you buy or not.

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45 Main Street, Corner Court St.

JACKSON, CAL.

AMADOR LEDGER

JACKSON, CAL., DEC. 23, 1910

TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL

This table gives the highest and lowest temperature in Jackson for each day, together with the rainfall, as recorded by self-registering instruments kept at the Ledger office.

Date.	T emp	Rainfall	Date.	T emp	Rainfall
	L. H.	I.		L. H.	I.
Dec 1, 1910	33 72	0.17	17	35 65	0.00
2	34 60 0.14		18	37 75	0.00
3	40 60 0.73		19	36 76	0.00
4	36 65	0.20	20	36 80	0.00
5	34 61	0.21	21	27 77	0.00
6	40 60	0.32	22	32 72	0.00
7	45 60 0.10		23	32	0.00
8	45 67	0.25	24	32	0.00
9	45 67	0.25	25	32	0.00
10	52 60 0.61		26	32	0.00
11	56 69 0.23		27	32	0.00
12	38 71	0.25	28	32	0.00
13	34 61	0.25	29	32	0.00
14	33 46	0.31	30	32	0.00
15	33 45	0.31	31	32	0.00
16	33 45	0.31	32	32	0.00

Total rainfall for season to date...4.60 inches



GET YOUR CONGRESSMAN
TO VOTE
FOR SAN FRANCISCO-1915

JACKSON CITY ITEMS

The Sutter Creek I. O. O. F., No. 31, held their election of officers for the ensuing term last Monday night, and elected the following officers: Noble grand, R. J. Harris; vice grand G. Gillick; recording secretary, Virgil Norton; financial secretary, H. Lehmann; treasurer, C. E. Richards; trustee, J. Higgins.

Bilious? Feel heavy after dinner? Bad taste? Complexion sallow? Liver needs waking up. Doan's regulators cure bilious attacks. 25 cents at any drug store.

Miss Eunice Goring, who is attending school at Los Gatos, returned to her home in Jackson, to spend the holidays with her parents.

Stephen Vigna, son of Mr and Mrs Joseph Vigna of this city, came up from San Francisco this week, to spend the holiday vacation at home.

The Red Front is calling attention to their holiday goods which is now on sale at their flourishing place of business, on Main street, this city.

After spending a week in the capital city, Mr and Mrs Doyle returned to their home in Jackson last Saturday, extremely well pleased with their visit. While in Sacramento they were registered at the hotel Land, but spent the greater part of their visit touring the city and surrounding country in a large auto, which was placed at their disposal by a friend of Mr Doyle.

"Doan's Ointment cured me of eczema that had annoyed me a long time. The cure was permanent." Hon. S. W. Matthews, Commissioner Labor Statistics, Augusta, Me.

A heavy iron grating has been placed in the cellar way at the McGee property, next to Poggi's barber shop. John Garbarini supervised the work.

Farmers, mechanics, railroaders, laborers rely on Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil. Takes the sting out of cuts, burns or bruises at once. Pain cannot stay where it is used.

Dr. A. M. Gall of this city received a calendar for 1911 from his cousin, Charles G. Gall, who is engaged in a general commission business in Stockton, which is as pretty and attractive as any one could wish to have to decorate the wall.

Cheapest accident insurance—Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil. Stops the pain and heals the wound. All druggists sell it.

Miss Georgia Gritton, daughter of county treasurer, Geo. A. Gritton who has had a severe siege of typhoid fever, is up and about again. Miss Gritton was under the care of Dr. A. M. Gall, who did everything within his professional power to restore her health.

Many school children suffer from constipation, which is often the cause of seeming stupidity at lessons. Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets are an ideal medicine to give a child, for they are mild and gentle in their effect, and will cure even chronic constipation. Sold by all dealers.

Mrs Geo. Blair and daughter Mrs Depew, who have been confined to their beds at the home of Mrs Blair on Court street, suffering from a severe attack of la grippe, are much improved, and again able to be about.

Croup is most prevalent during the dry cold weather of the early winter months. Parents of young children should be prepared for it. All that is needed is a bottle of Chamberlain's cough remedy. Many mothers are never without it in their homes and it has never disappointed them. Sold by all dealers.

A new roof is being placed on A. Caminetti's office building which adjoins the property of St. Patrick's church.

The old, old story, told times without number, and repeated over and over again for the last 36 years, but it is always a welcome story to those in search of health—There is nothing in the world that cures coughs and colds as quickly as Chamberlain's cough remedy. Sold by all dealers.

A special Christmas sermon will be delivered by the Rev. Thos. Shea, rector of St. Augustine's Episcopal church on Christmas eve. Special music will also be an important feature.

When a cold becomes settled in the system, it will take several days' treatment to cure it, and the best remedy to use is Chamberlain's cough remedy. It will cure quicker than any other, and also leaves the system in a natural and healthy condition. Sold by all dealers.

An old Jacksonite, well known and equally well liked in the person of Joseph Marre, paid Jackson a visit this week, and expects to spend the holiday season here visiting relatives and friends. Mr Marre is a resident of Oakland.

Many persons find themselves affected with a persistent cough, after an attack of influenza. As this cough can be promptly cured by the use of Chamberlain's cough remedy, it should not be allowed to run on until it becomes troublesome. Sold by all dealers.

On December 17, a marriage license was issued to Sijepo Obrad, aged 27, and Zele Zorka, aged 20, both of Jackson.

Don't think that piles can't be cured. Thousands of obstinate cases have been cured by Doan's Ointment. 50 cents at any drug store.

Judge John F. Davis came up from San Francisco Tuesday to attend to legal business in the superior court.

Impure blood runs you down—makes you an easy victim for organic diseases. Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the blood—cures the cause—builds you up.

Miss Bertha Mounter, who has been employed at the dressmaking trade in Sacramento for the past several months, returned to her home in Jackson Wednesday evening, and will remain here for the winter.

Regulates the bowels, promotes easy natural movements, cures constipation—Doan's Regulators. Ask your druggist for them. 25c a box.

Miss Hazel Green, who had been absent from home for several months, visiting in Oakland and San Francisco, returned home Wednesday evening, very much improved in health.

You are well posted on County news when you read the Ledger

ROYAL
BAKING POWDER

This is the
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requisite
for making
Perfect
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Foods.

ROYAL
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Absolutely Pure

The only Baking
Powder made
from Royal Grape
Cream of Tartar
—made from grapes—

No Alum
No Lime Phosphate

Mrs Ila McLaughlin and little son arrived here from Oakland, to spend the Christmas season at the home of her parents.

A sprained ankle will usually disable the injured person for three or four weeks. This is due to lack of proper treatment. When Chamberlain's liniment is applied a cure may be effected in three or four days. This liniment is one of the best and most remarkable preparations in use. Sold by all dealers.

Edward Muldoon returned to his home from St. Mary's college, and will remain here for the holidays.

The greatest danger from influenza is of its resulting in pneumonia. This can be obviated by using Chamberlain's cough remedy, as it not only cures influenza, but counteracts any tendency of the disease towards pneumonia. Sold by all dealers.

Miss Izola Beacuhemia, who has been attending school in Stockton, returned home to spend Christmas with her folks.

Dyspepsia is our national ailment. Burdock Blood Bitters is the national cure for it. It strengthens stomach membranes, promotes flow of digestive juices, purifies the blood, builds you up.

Mr and Mrs Julius Perano, who have been on a wedding tour, visiting several of the coast cities, are expected to return home this evening.

Baby won't suffer five minutes with croup if you apply Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil at once. It acts like magic.

Mrs C. I. Wood, mother of superior judge Fred V. Wood, came from Alamo, Contra Costa county, last Monday, and intends spending the winter here, as the guest of her son.

Melvin, son of Fred V. Wood, who has suffered from an attack of typhoid fever, and who had been confined to his bed under the care of Dr. Gall, is able to be about again.

High School Communication

"To be or no to be, that's the question," for Sutter Creek and Jackson City to consider. We should not for selfish motives bar the possibility of a county high school. It is well enough to argue the advantages of the different places as to a location, but this should be done in a fair intelligent and unprejudiced way. We understand that Sutter Creek, Amador Ione, Plymouth, and Jackson each have sites, temporary and permanent to offer.

We should consider the location that can do the greatest service to the greatest number, and according to our figuring that location is Jackson city, from the fact that it has the largest number of pupils in the public school, and is the center of population.

From the fact that Jackson is the county seat and has the county buildings and if, as the Record states, the mines of Amador county should fail, the county seat as history proves in other places, is the most permanent of the county towns. We note an exception to the character of petition circulated in Pine Grove and Volcano by Sutter Creek appealing to the voters to declare for Sutter Creek on the grounds that by so doing it would save the expense of another election.

We claim that it was an unfair and prejudiced proceeding. If such declaration on the part of the voters for Sutter Creek would save this expense why would not a similar declaration in Jackson's favor do the same. Ione presents a more favorable offer than any, of which we have heard from Sutter Creek.

Ione is as accessible to most of the pupils of the county as Sutter Creek, and offers not only a site, but a building, and a good one.

We do not claim advantages in social standing, but we do claim all that Sutter can boast, and more too. We

claim the center of population, and Jackson can serve the most people at least expense. If San Francisco could claim as much there would be no doubt about California receiving the Panama Exposition.

If the geographical center counted, the capital of the United States should be in Kansas.

The editor of the Record asks in reply to last week's article, wherein the fact is cited that Jackson has the deepest gold mine in the world, if we intend to locate a high school down in the bowels of the earth. We answer no, that is why we want it in Jackson, and not in Sutter Creek. That is a town built in a hole in the ground, we say to you, send your children from out the bowels of the earth, let them take inspiration from that old poem, "Excelsior," and climb Sutter hill to Jackson and to light. The editor of the Record no doubt means well, but one's mind becomes limited by the surroundings, he should come out of the hole in the ground, come to the city of Jackson, while opportunity is knocking at his door. Sometimes it pays to listen to the knocker.

An Enthusiast.

(The Ledger believes that, in the interest of good feeling between the two towns, it is policy to drop the discussion of the subject along the lines heretofore followed.—Ed.)

NOTICE.

The undersigned has bought the interest of his partners in the Olympus restaurant in the Webb building, Jackson, and will hereafter conduct the business as sole proprietor, assuming all liabilities and collecting all debts.

Jackson, Dec. 22, 1910.

YUP QUONG.

John Fontenrose arrived in Jackson Wednesday evening, and will remain until after the holidays.

A Poor Weak Woman

As she is termed, will endure bravely and patiently agonies which a strong man would give way under. The fact is women are more patient than they ought to be under such troubles.

Every woman ought to know that she may obtain the most experienced medical advice free of charge and in absolute confidence and privacy by writing to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, R. V. Pierce, M. D., President, Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. Pierce has been chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, N. Y., for many years and has had a wider practical experience in the treatment of women's diseases than any other physician in this country. His medicines are world-famous for their astonishing efficacy.

The most perfect remedy ever devised for weak and delicate women is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

IT MAKES WEAK WOMEN STRONG.

SICK WOMEN WELL.

The many and varied symptoms of woman's peculiar ailments are fully set forth in Plain English in the People's Medical Adviser (1008 pages), a newly revised and up-to-date Edition of which, cloth-bound, will be mailed free on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay cost of mailing only. Address as above.



SCHOOL APPORTIONMENT

Jackson, Cal. Dec. 16th, 1910.

To the Board of Trustees of Amador County:

Ladies and Gentlemen:—I hereby report to the first apportionment for the school year 1910, 1911. The County Auditor reports that there is \$111,293.11 available for apportionment; to this sum has been added \$466.78, the balance remaining in the unapportioned County fund, which gives a total of \$115,959.89. Of this amount I apportioned \$110,715.51, leaving a balance of \$5,244.38.

The next apportionment will be of state money, and will be made in January.

Drytown receives \$200 extra for 8 census children. Oneida \$200 extra for 8 census children. Plymouth \$250 extra for 10 census children.

Name of District	No. Teachers	Teachers' Salary.	Library Fund	Do not record	Official Journal	Expense Fund
1. Aetna	1	\$112.20	\$17.20	\$1.50		\$56.10
2. Amador City	3	336.60	26.55	1.50		196.35
3. Antelope	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
4. Bridgeport	1	81.90	6.82			47.79
5. Buena Vista	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
6. Camp Opra	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
7. Carbondale	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
8. Charity	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
9. Charleston	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
10. Clinton	1	112.20	17.20	1.50		56.10
11. Drytown	1	232.20	37.20	1.50		116.10
12. Enterprise	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
13. Forest Home	1	112.20	17.20	1.50		56.10
14. Franklin	1	112.20	17.20	1.50		56.10
15. Gilbert	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
16. Grapevine	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
17. Ione	4	448.80	38.50	1.50		259.20
18. Jackson	8	897.60	78.50	1.50		518.40
19. Jackson Valley	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
20. Julian	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
21. Lancha Plana	1	112.20	17.20	1.50		56.10
22. Middle Bar	1	37.02	1.58	1.50		21.61
23. Middle Fork	1	112.20	17.20	1.50		56.10
24. Milligan	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
25. Mt. Echo	1	112.20	17.20	1.50		56.10
26. Mt. Springs	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
27. N. Y. Ranch	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
28. Olea	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
29. Oneida	1	232.20	37.20	1.50		116.10
30. Pigeon Creek	1	75.17	4.76	1.50		43.86
31. Pine Grove	1	112.20	17.20	1.50		56.10
32. Pioneer	1	112.20	17.20	1.50		56.10
33. Plymouth	1	262.20	20.35	1.50		152.95
34. Quartz Mt.	1	112.20	17.20	1.50		56.10
35. Slate Creek	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
36. Spring Valley	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
37. Stony Creek	1	112.20	17.20	1.50		56.10
38. Sutter Creek	4	448.80	38.50	1.50		259.20
39. Union	1	112.20	17.20	1.50		56.10
40. Volcano	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
41. Williams	1	112.20	7.85	1.50		65.45
42. Willow Springs	1	112.20	17.20	1.50		56.10
Total	55.73	\$6642.89	\$662.71	\$61.50		\$3704.41

W. H. GREENHALGH,
Supt. of County Schools.

SAMPO MURDER TRIAL FINISHED

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his story, substantially the same as the other witnesses on the same side. He denied having struck the deceased with a rock, or having seen him in the roadway that night, or having had any trouble except what occurred in the Cavallero house or yard.

All the testimony was in Wednesday afternoon. The prosecution presented no rebuttal testimony, content to allow the alibi defense to stand as made out by the defendant's own witnesses. It was supported mainly by the two defendants, Sampo and Conti, who claimed that they played ten or twelve games of "mora" before the dancing commenced, which consumed considerable time, and would tend to show that defendant was in the Cavallero house at the time the homicide is alleged to have been committed. The other witnesses stated that three games only were played, occupying from twenty minutes to half an hour.

The arguments consumed until Thursday afternoon. After the instructions of the court the jury retired for deliberation soon after two o'clock. Hour after hour passed, and it looked for a while that a disagreement would be the outcome. Once the jury filed into court and asked for the reading of the testimony of one of the main witnesses, and instructions. Again retiring another long wait occurred. About nine o'clock the foreman reported that an agreement had been reached.

The jury filed into the jury box, and handed in the verdict, which was read by the clerk, and was "We the jury find the defendant guilty of murder in the second degree."

It seems the only contention among the jurymen was as to the grade of the crime, several holding out for murder in the first degree, but these were finally won over to the lesser offense.

The verdict gives general satisfaction, as being in accord with the facts in the case. The penalty is not less than ten years in the penitentiary, up to life imprisonment.

The defendant's counsel handed in 127 instructions for the judge to submit to the jury. After examining this voluminous mass, the court gave 21 of the instructions asked for.

Mrs. Clough Dead

A message was received in Jackson yesterday afternoon informing friends of the death of Mrs Sarah Jane Clough, at her home in San Francisco. Deceased died at 9 p. m. Wednesday, after a lingering illness from a complication of disorders, incident to old age. She was a native of Pennsylvania, aged 72 years.

Funeral services will be held in San Francisco on Saturday afternoon, after which the remains will be forwarded to Jackson. Services will also be held in the M. E. church in this city on Monday morning at 10 o'clock, and thereafter the interment will take place at Pine Grove by the body of her husband, who died many years ago.

Mrs Jos. Phelps, a daughter of deceased, was summoned hastily to the city when the life of her mother was despaired of, and went down on Wednesday, arriving in time to see her mother alive. Miss Hilda Clough is also a daughter, and was present at the final scene.

Mrs Clough was born in New Albany, Bradford county, Pa., December 28, 1838, and came to California with her parents in the spring of 1860, when the family settled in Nevada City. In 1867 she was married to John Herbert, and in 1867 she and her husband went to live in Sutter Creek, Amador county. Herbert died in 1869. The widow married Orson Clough January 28, 1872. Until four years ago she lived at the Clough ranch near Pine Grove.

Locals

Miss Bonnie McGary is expected home from Berkeley to-morrow evening, and will remain here during the holidays.

Eugene Eoro, is up from St Mary's college, Oakland, to spend his vacation at home.

Henry Weil left this morning to spend the holidays with his family San Francisco.

John S. Davis, sheriff elect, has moved to Jackson with his family, preparatory to entering upon the duties of his office on the 2nd of January next.

Early Bloom.

A cherry tree in the orchard of Harry W. Jones in Jackson is in full bloom, an occurrence that has never been known before in this vicinity. The tree is located in the flat near the creek. It is hardly probable that the blossoms and young fruit will be able to withstand the frosts of winter.

DENIED RIGHT
TO LAND.

Sam Toy, the well-known Chinese merchant, a member of the Leun Sien Company of this place, who left Angels Camp about three years ago to visit his native country, is now, according to late advices, a quarantine prisoner at Angels Island, where he has been detained since October 15th, pending the unraveling of governmental red tape and the banishment from his system of some contraband hook-worms which it is alleged he caught during his sojourn in the Flowery Kingdom.

Toy was a passenger aboard the steamship Mongolia which arrived in San Francisco from China on the above date. He held a ticket entitling him to passage, and, while to ordinary morals there was really nothing very mysterious about the manner of his coming, it was unusual enough it would seem to set working the leaven of endless red tape for one of those farcical human comedies, the very incongruity of which must cause the gods to smile, and even sometimes to laugh when they look down.

Prior to his departure for the Orient three years ago, Toy had his identification papers all properly drawn up and attested by Walter Tryon as notary public, while his photograph was duly attached and the signatures of C. H. Woods, J. A. Ayala Joe Peirano, Geo. Rose and several other business men of the town were placed upon the instrument as witnesses to the fact that Sam Toy had long been a resident and taxpayer of Angels Camp, and as such was entitled to return when he felt so disposed.

After his sojourn and upon his return to our port, Toy presented these papers to the port official but that worthy thought he could see a "nigger in the fence." The fact that the china-man had his credentials and that all demands for passage had been satisfied must have created doubt, for stow-aways seem to be the rule now instead of the exception, and a Celestial traveling on the square is at once the object of suspicion, so Toy was detained. He wrote to his brother, Ah Toy of this town, apprising him of the situation, and the latter enlisted the assistance of Walter Tryon who went to Angels Island to look into the matter. He identified the suspicious Sam Toy, as well as the papers he held, but that was not deemed sufficient and Mr Tryon was told that the investigation would be carried on in Angels Camp by a corps of government inspectors—two white men and a Chinaman—arrived in town. They went to Mr Tryon with official gusto and solemn dignity and had him reiterate his identification of Sam Toy and his papers, and then interrogated the other witnesses, learning incidentally among other things the fact that Sam was a well-to-do merchant and owner of considerable real estate in Chinatown. With this the junketeers returned to the port but still Sam remained the unwilling guest of his Uncle Sam at Angels Island. Presently Ah Toy received a letter from a Chinaman in San Francisco (not an official) urging him to put up a certain fee for the employment of an attorney to handle his brother's case, volunteering this advice as the only way of securing the prisoner's release expeditiously. As it was palpably apparent that a hungry attorney was on the watch to profit by the luckless traveling dilemma, Ah Toy had Mr Tryon write a letter of inquiry to the officials. Then came the astounding reply from headquarters to the effect that, while the man's credentials were all right and he was entitled to land, the aforesaid contraband wrigglers had been found secreted in the intestinal lining of his anatomy and that he could not be permitted to land until he was purged of his worms and received a clean bill of health; that it would further be necessary, in order to insure him against deportation, that the sum of \$100 or a certified check for that amount, be forthcoming at once as a guarantee that the vermifuge used in banishing the worms and the hospital charges of \$1.25 per day during treatment, shall be paid. As there seemed no alternative but to "come through with the dough," Ah Toy left for San Francisco Monday, having concluded to "throw up his hands" and submit to the inevitable, for, while there might be room for doubt as to whether his brother really has hookworms, there is certainly no question but that the government has the hooks all right with which to worm out the money, and that the victim is pretty well hooked up to say the least.

While it is perfectly proper that due diligence should be exercised by the government in guarding against fraud or imposition, the ulterior motive for such abnormal proceedings in this case is so obvious and written in letters so large that even he who runs may read. In the face of this abominable system—if it may be called a system of courtesy—it is not surprising that smuggling is resorted to, for the man acting legally has but little better chance than the one who violates the law. It is out of this senseless net-

work of capriciously elastic red-tape that the most cunning and unscrupulous traders in human flesh and human weakness, the foul flies that fatten upon graft and human delusion, are hatched, fed and fostered—Angels Record.

Deafness Can not be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Election Killed
Wool Activity.

With little prospect for improvement in the immediate future, the local wool market is exceedingly weak and approaches well nigh to stagnation. This condition, however, is said to be prevalent throughout the entire country, and will continue according to the best local and eastern authorities on the market, until some guarantee against the lowering of the tariff on wool is made. The election of a democratic congress on November 8th, according to a local dealer, has shattered almost all hope of a continued high tariff and as a result it is claimed that the poor conditions existing at the present time will continue to grow worse. That a high tariff is almost essential to a strong wool market is shown by the fact that at the present time the tariff is 11 cents, while the normal price for the fall clip is the same amount, and the price in the spring is 13 cents.

Locally the fall clip was normal quality and the yield was up to the standard of past years. A knowledge of these facts brought several buyers to this county from eastern markets but before deals of any magnitude were under way it is understood that they were recalled as soon as the November election returns were known.—Stockton Independent.

Citizen's Meeting

The mutual high school club of Jackson are arranging to have an overflow meeting on next Monday evening in the court house. The committee on ways and means have a large report that is understood to be everything desirable for a high school site. The committee on finance are straining every effort to make their report a welcome one, and the committee on rules of order have also arranged a preliminary report. Jackson is spurred on in the fight for location honors by reason of the strenuous efforts put forth by her sister city, Sutter Creek, and that she will be victorious, there isn't a vision of doubt. However, a good site and sufficient funds to finance the project for one year at least will go far in the minds of the voters, as to which place should have the location. Jackson's citizens, however, have liberally responded, and several excellent sites have been tendered gratis to the societies promoting the plans.

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Company Changes
Management

H. M. Bylesby & Co., of Chicago, have closed a deal for the purchase of the American River Electric Company from Herbert and Mortimer Fleishacker, paying \$1,375,000. The owning company will now be known as the Western States Gas and Electric Company, this concern having been incorporated a short time ago to take over a number of plants located in Stockton, Richmond and other places, and the American River Power plant, near Placerville. This plant supplies the Central California Traction Railroad, operating between Sacramento and Stockton, with power. The American River Electric Company also has a substation near Folsom, and for several years has supplied power to the Natoma Consolidated for operating its dredges and rock crushing plants.—Folsom Telegraph.

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Women's Club Meet

The Woman's Improvement Club of Jackson met in their regular session on last Saturday afternoon, and transacted very important business, toward forwarding the campaign for locating the county high school in this city. The meeting was largely attended and much enthusiasm displayed, by all present.

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How an appalling calamity in his family was prevented is told by A. D. McDonald, of Fayetteville, N. C. R. F. D. No. 8. "My sister had consumption," he writes, "she was very thin and pale, had no appetite and seemed to grow weaker every day, as all remedies failed, till Dr. King's New Discovery was tried, and so completely cured her, that she has not been troubled with a cough since. Its the best medicine I ever saw or heard of." For coughs, colds, la grippe, asthma, croup, hemorrhage—all bronchial troubles, it has no equal, 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Spagnoli's drug store.

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Dated December 9th 1910.
J. E. BATCHELDER,
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Wm. G. Snyder, Attorney for said Administrator. del6

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Wasteful Practice

It has been noticed for some time past that the railroad company has been burning hundreds of ties along its line on the Amador Branch Railroad, and many people have commented upon what appears to be a wilful waste of good wood. These ties were formerly sold for kindling wood at 5 cents each, and were in great demand. The Sacramento Star, in a recent issue, contained the following item regarding the burning of the ties:

"From along the lines of the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe railroads a wail of complaint is being heard from the farmers. No longer can the farmers get fence posts at a reduced cost. Up to the present time old railroad ties have been sold to the farmers for 15 cents apiece. When split these made two good posts for 7½ cents a post. The railroad is now burning the ties, according to the farmers. To buy new lumber and have it shipped would cost 28 cents to the post. The burning of the ties, according to the statements of the farmers, is a new graft of the railroads who with the lumber companies are forcing the producers to bow to the combine."

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FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Items of Interest from Towns Surrounding Jackson

The Mountain Democrat has this item of Miss Norma Smith, daughter of Mr and Mrs Web Smith of the Kennedy mine: Miss Norma Smith, the young vocalist, who won such high praise for her solo work at the McNeil club concert in Sacramento last week, is a niece of Mrs G. A. Richardson of this city. Miss Smith has a bird-like soprano voice beautiful in quality, and sings with rare taste and finish. In her two years of study with Homer Henley in Sacramento she has brought to her work an earnestness that is already fruitful in results. Some of Miss Smith's admirers in Placerville are hopeful that she may be heard here sometime.

Cullen James, who will be remembered by many in Placerville where he spent his boyhood days, passed away at Stockton, last week, Tuesday, from paresis. He was a native of Drytown, Amador county, and was 57 years of age. He leaves two sisters, Mrs Adelina Combella of this city, and Mrs Amelia Carlson of Elmhurst, and a brother, Willis James, of Wheatland. Mrs Combella, who was with her sister at Elmhurst, and her son, George of Sacramento, accompanied the remains to this city on Monday, and on Tuesday interment was made in Union cemetery beside the parents, of the deceased.—Democrat.

Thomas N. Jones of Groveland was acquitted on first ballot Tuesday for shooting Jack Welsh on his ranch on October 19th last. The jury were out only ten minutes. Jones was held on a charge of manslaughter by the justice court in the preliminary examination. He was defended by attorney F. P. Otis. There were no witnesses to the shooting. The testimony of Jones, the defendant, was to the effect that he was called out of the house by Welsh and that as soon as they got out on the back porch, he was attacked by Welsh who being a strong, heavy man, used his fists with telling effect. Jones kept backing until he had gone about twenty feet when he drew his revolver. At this point Welsh gave him a heavy blow in the stomach knocking him to the ground, when Jones fired. The bullet wound in Welsh's body sustains Jones inasmuch as it shows that the bullet ranged upward to a considerable degree.—Tuolumne Independent.

On Wednesday three shifts of four men each drilled, blasted and hoisted 67 tons of rock and also broke seven feet of ground at the Lightner mine. In conversation last Saturday, R. C. Shaw president of the company, stated that he was greatly pleased with the work now under way on that property. At the present rate it is confidently expected to have 40 stamps of the mill in operation by the first of February and the full 60 stamps dropping by the first of April. He also said that the

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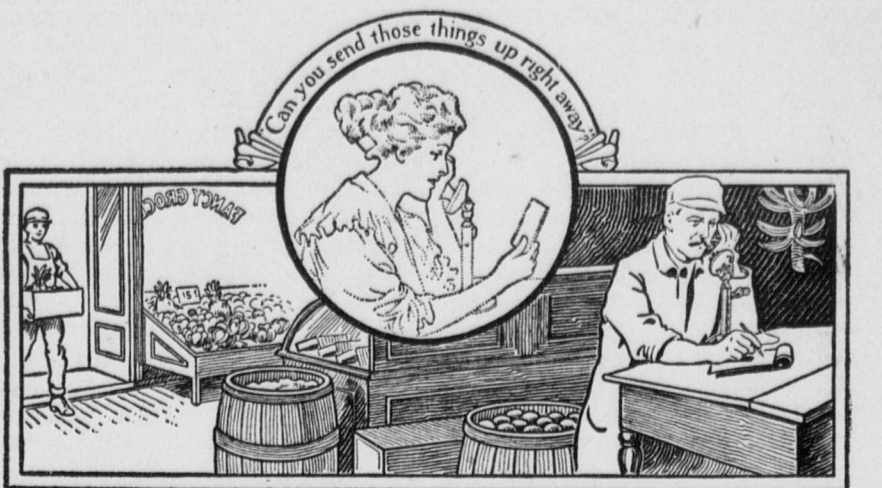
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We ate our dinner in Truckee awaiting the narrow gage train which had not yet arrived from Tahoe City. With impatience we loitered about, straining our eyes in fruitless effort to see the train come through the narrow defile that the Truckee river has cut through for countless ages—but no train was to be seen. A keen sharp whistle from a motor car coming from Reno, attracted our attention. Almost at the same moment a locomotive whistle sounded through the gap we had previously been looking at, and a moment after the curling smoke from the locomotive rose in spiral columns along the banks of the Truckee river, and our train came thundering down upon us. The train stopped only for an hour, when I was ready to return. The engine was of the same pattern used upon broad gauge roads save that they were much smaller. We kept the course of the Truckee river running along beside it and crossing and recrossing it. The little stream clear as crystal flowed with a gentle gurgling sound with its course onward. As the water deepened it turned from a transparent crystalline to the deep blue of a surging sea. As we speed along, huge mountains rose sheer and precipitous above. As we cross the wagon road the shrill screech from the locomotive echoed and re-echoed as if screaming over the wilderness that surrounded us. Then nearing the lake, to our left, stood the remnants of volcanic action. Molten matter in unique columns stood above us. It was nature's great field of action that molded it into shape millions of years before. Jagged, jutting, hanging, in tufts, it stood in specterous view before us, rising into round shape, rearing aloft the jagged spear

like points; shooting into a thousand fantastic forms. Minarets rose above as if rearing themselves over some ancient citadel where some lord of his manor held his feudal sway. Here was Nature in all its grandeur and glory. The Indians that viewed it first were gone into the shadow and depth of stillness of time. It stood as an everlasting monument to never be forgotten. Evolution might sweep above its head like the hanging colors of the kaleidoscope changing everything and everybody, but this immutable fragment of nature would topple only when the earth bursts asunder through some sweep of nature in its last fearful action.

Once more the whistle sounded, we looked out of the car and the lake was before us. It was both beautiful and picturesque. Looking across the lake from the California side, you see for miles the sheer bare mountains, and contrasting to those on this side covered with evergreens trees and verdure. Looking southward the lake is fringed by young fir and spruce, and deepening into shadowy coves. The sea-gulls flop their white wings in ecstasy, as they flit in play above its pellucid waters. These are aquatic sea fowls. Whither did they come? They are not of migratory nature. They were planted by the everlasting power we know not of if they were conjunctive with the lake itself. The lake has doubtless been the creator of some volcano of millions of years ago, when mephitic air swept in confusion and chaos over this continent with fearful fury. Old Tahoe, the greybearded child has gone to the happy hunting ground, but the shadow of his Indian spirit bears the name of the lake. Twenty five years ago the legislature squabbled over giving the lake an official name. The prestige of Gen. Bigler was reaching out to grasp it, but the Indian whose ancestors trod

untrammelled around it hundreds of years ago, held it securely in their grasp for it is known now far and near and ever to be called, Tahoe, after the venerable Indian of almost an extinct tribe. It is gradually growing into a great summer resort. It is 26½ miles wide and 40 miles long. Real estate is running skyward rapidly. Upon a bulletin board I saw the announcement, "Lots from \$1300 up." The narrow gauge road brought in alone 40,000 this season to visit, not saying anything about those that came in autos, wagons etc. The time is not far away when the coast line of the lake will be fringed with the finest residences, and the rich man with his millions will loiter in the shades of its trees and drink from the pure cold water of the mountain lake.

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On Visit to Mine

The Kennedy mine was visited by president Hutchinson and director F. P. Thomas and wife from San Francisco last week. The visitors spent several days in looking over the plant and its workings.

"Fakes" Death To Secure Coin.

Reno, (Nev.) Dec. 14.—Fielder Gravitt of Goldfield originated the easiest and most plausible manner in which to secure funds from angered parents when he "faked" death, sent a bogus telegram to his father in Oklahoma and secured \$100 for the purpose of burying himself. The wire was signed by Dr. John Smith, and told of the death of Gravitt and asked that money be sent at once to prepare the body for shipping or interment.

The money was sent post haste, collected by the supposed dead man, and spent so freely that he now is in a hospital from excessive drinking. Gravitt came from Caddo, Oklahoma, several weeks ago, and soon went through with what money he had when he arrived. Casting about for means to make his parents come to his aid, he devised the death scene.

A friend heard of the joke, and at once wired the truth to the bereaved parents.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Marcus Brown, also called M. Brown, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Marcus Brown, also called M. Brown, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the law office of Wm. J. McGee, the same being the place selected for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said Amador County.

Dated December 19, 1910.
H. E. Potter,
Administrator of the estate of Marcus Brown, also called M. Brown, deceased.

Teachers Examinations

The board of education has for the week past been holding examinations for teachers. Ten applications have been presented to the board, eight of which are not residents of the county. Seven of the number are ladies and three are men. The examinations are held in the vacant room in the grammar school building.

The result of the examinations will not be known until to-morrow.

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To Hold Fruit Shower

On Thursday evening, December 29th, at the Methodist parsonage, the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church, will give a fruit shower social to the pastor and his wife.

All friends and members of the church are invited to be present and participate. A short program will be rendered, and light refreshments served.

This shower is given in place of a reception, which could not be held on account of so many other public engagements.

Mrs. Brown, Pres. Ladies' Aid.

Fur Hunting Good

W. S. Dean and W. E. McKinney, who located in old Pino Grande a few weeks ago, to trap for furs, have had remarkably good luck thus far, having 70 beautiful specimens. The finest are 1 large lynx, 1 wolf and 1 beautiful fisher. The rest of the furs are foxes, coons, skunks, ringtail cats, and civet cats. They have also caught 1 large eagle measuring 7 feet from tip to tip, also some immense hawks. They have had one snow storm and that has brought wild animals down from the mountains, and the trappers expect to do better when the heavy snow comes on.—Democrat.

Wants to Help Someone.

For thirty years J. F. Boyer, of Fertile, Mo., needed help and couldn't find it. That's why he wants to help some one now. Suffering so long himself he feels for all distress from backache, nervousness, loss of appetite, lassitude and kidney disorders. He shows that electric bitters works wonders for such troubles. "Five bottles," he writes, "wholly cured me and now I am well and hearty." It's also positively guaranteed for liver trouble, dyspepsia, blood disorders, female complaints and malaria. Try them. 50c at Spagnoli's drug store.

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